

## **PATENT APPLICATION**

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| In re Application of:                        | : |                            |
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| Timo ERIKSSON et al.                         | : |                            |
|  | ) | Group Art Unit: 3651       |
| Application No.: 10/018,804                  | : |                            |
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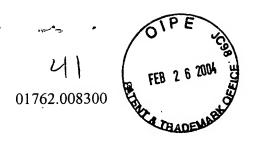
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### **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 26, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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| Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above | e-identif | ied application.           |
|   |           |                            |
| No additional fee is required.                    | <b>3</b>  |                            |

| The | fee | has | been | calculated | as shown | below: |
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| CLAIMS AS AMENDED                             |   |       |                                       |                  |                |                   |
|---|---|-------|---------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|-------------------|
|   | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST NO.<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>EXTRA | RATE           | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |
| TOTAL<br>CLAIMS                               | 29  | MINUS | 27                                    | = 2              | x \$9<br>\$18  | \$36.00           |
| INDEP.<br>CLAIMS                              | 2   | MINUS | 3                                     | = 0              | x \$42<br>\$84 | \$ 0.00           |
| Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140/\$280 |   |       |                                       |                  |                |                   |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT       |   |       | \$36.00                               |                  |                |                   |

|   | °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.  |
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|   | A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed including the additional claims fees.   |
| X | Charge \$ 36.00 (Thirty-six dollars) to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.   |
| X | Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 CFR 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed. |
|   | A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.   |
|   | A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.  |
| X | Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should be directed to our address given below.  |
|   | Respectfully submitted,   |
|   | Attorney for Applicants Steven E. Warner Registration No. 33,326  |

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